

Pop's Little Feller Didn't Really Retreat—  
It Was Merely a "Strategic Withdrawal"

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There's One of Mary's Beau's Presents  
She'll Have to Return to Him, We Guess

"S'MATTER POP?"

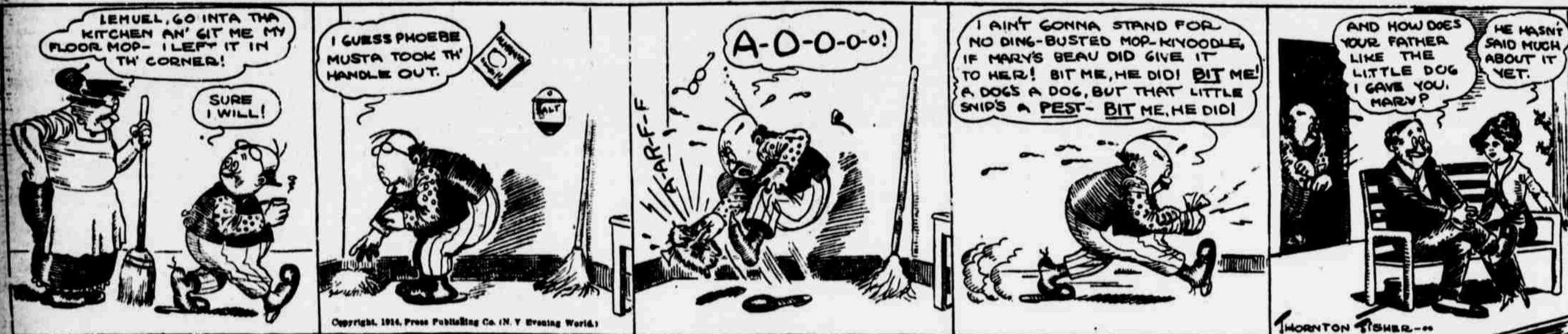
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## FLOOEY and AXEL

By Vic

Axel Merely Wanted to  
Prove to Them That  
They Couldn't.



## THE MARRYING OF MARY

By Thornton Fisher

What Pa Thinks of the Dog  
Won't Be Unsaid  
Much Longer.

## NOT ONLY THAT, BUT—

## AUF WIEDERSEHEN

By Robert Minor

## BUT HE CHANGED HIS MIND—



## An Unusually Bright Child.

ONE day Barrymore, the actor, was walking in the street when Sidney Rosenfeld, the playwright, rushed up to him all excitement. "Oh, Maurice, he waited, 'have you heard of my misfortune?'" "No; is there illness in your family?" "Not that," said Rosenfeld, "but almost as bad. My little boy five years of age got hold of my new play and tore it to tatters."

## Humorous by Comparison.

TRICKLAND W. GILLILAN tells of a hotel waitress who was reading a book and laughing wildly. An impatient person stood over her shoulder and exclaimed: "What on earth are you laughing at? That's the dictionary you're reading."

## The King and Beggar Maid.

HERE is the story of King Cophetua and the beggar maid as it might be told in current English, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. There was a young girl who went out a-begging, or something, so she wouldn't get hit, but anyway she was a peach for looks. When she'd got her face washed up an' chased a comb too her hair she was good for de eyes. Mabey she looked de finer 'cause she didn't sport none o' dese puffs an' rates an' dinky fringes—an' she was dat poor she couldn't even have a peach basket hat.

## His Itinerary.

"WELL," mused six-year-old Harry as he was being buttoned into a clean white suit, "this has been an exciting week, hasn't it, mother? Monday we went to the zoo, Wednesday I lost a tooth, Thursday was Lily's birthday party, Friday I was sick, yesterday I had my hair cut, and now here I am rushing off to Sunday school!"—Lippincott's.

## By Way of Inducement.

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But then the unhappy child began to howl with pain. His brother, a year older, was likewise distressed, and added his pleadings to those of the mother. "Do have it out, dear," repeated the mother. "Yes, Dick, have it out," added the brother. "It will be one less to clean, you know!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

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